THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR—NO. 228 BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1900. TWO CENTS.

THREE ARE CONFIDENT

Bliss, Ferry and Stearns Are Happy.

Big Stearns Parade This Evening.

Benton Harbor Delegates Talk Dix

Grand Rapids, June 26.—Everything is in readiness for one of the most exciting republican conventions ever held in this state. The friends of the three leading candidates for governor are on the ground accompanied by thousands of rooters.

Tonight the Stearns men will make a demonstration which will leave an impression upon the delegates from the country districts. They will give a parade in which 15,000 men will be in line, each wearing a Stearn's hat. Banners for equal taxation and the principles espoused by the Ludington man will be in evidence and if band music and demonstrations of various kinds have any weight it is certain that Stearns stock will take a boom.

A party of Benton Harbor republicans left on the morning train for the state convention in Grand Rapids. A large crowd of local politicians, who were unable to attend the convention, assembled at the depot and bid their friends goodbye as fervently as if they were about to charge into the mouths of cannons. And many of the delegates actually thought their chances of a safe return about as few as they would be in the latter case.

Will Hovey, the Stearns leader in Benton Harbor, accompanied the delegation. He is going to see the end of the fray. When defeated in the Benton Harbor caucuses the plucky leader travelled to Niles to see the Ferryites turned down. He now believes his turn will come in the Grand Rapids convention.

"If we don't elect Stearns, John Patton of Grand Rapids is the man. Mark my word on that" remarked Hovey as he boarded the train, "We've had enough Detroit statesmen."

Everything else is Dix, however. Col. Ward voiced the sentiment of the local delegation in an interview.

"If a dark horse is needed, and I'm afraid one will be, Roscoe Dix will be the republican nominee for governor. He is the ideal dark horse. Hardly a delegate to the convention but knows the general. Yes, sir, I look for Dix's nomination if one of the three leaders fails to carry off the prize."

A few delegates were not bashful in stating that Blakeslee would not be nominated for lieutenant governor. They think his name will not even be presented. Dix's chances for auditor generalship honors are considered good.

Alonzo Vincent stated this morning: "I see by the morning papers that Bliss is likely to land the plum. Dix? Why, yes, if he is put on as a dark horse I'll be for him. I'm for any good Berrien county man."

The following left on the morning train: Warren Carroll, Will Hovey, W. L. George, B. L. Van Camp, Col. Ward, J. P. C. McCullough of Berrien Centre, Mr. Goodman of Chickaming, and E. S. Kelley, J. W. Needham and Alonzo Vincent of St. Joseph.

Mr. Gore, who nominates Ferry, left on the afternoon train.

Bliss claims that he will have more votes on the first ballot than any other candidate. Stearns makes the same claim. The Ferry managers rather concede that Bliss will lead on the first ballot. The Stearns men claim that there is a combine on between Bliss and Ferry and that Bliss is not a real candidate. Great interest is felt in the course that Chase Osborn's upper peninsula delegates will take after the first ballot, whether they will break to Stearns or Ferry.

The first delegate to arrive from the upper peninsula was Lieutenant-Governor Robinson and he believes that he will be renominated, expressing no fear in regard to the candidacy of Senator Blakeslee.

A large picture of Governor Pingree occupies a prominent place in the decorations on the stage and many of the enemies of the governor will be compelled to look upon the face of the man they hate or keep their eyes off the stage. Some of the federal push, as the friends of Senator McMillan are sometimes called, did not want the picture of the governor in evidence but better judgment on the part of the remainder of the committee won.

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STILL DROPPING.

The Price of Wheat is Still Going Down.

Wheat continued in its downward course today and afforded a complete triumph for the bears.

The market opened at 85¼ to 84⅞, rapidly sold down to 82 and closed at 82. This is four cents lower than the market closed at Monday.

Local traders look for a raise in the price tomorrow and are banking their money accordingly.

Brother and Sister Drowned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., June 26.—Emily and Don McDonell, aged 17 and 15 respectively, children of Hon. A. B. McDonell, president of the Lumberman's national bank, were drowned in Long lake, Chippewa county, Monday. They were bathing and went beyond their depth.

Wheat Crop Ruined.

Winnipeg, Man., June 26.—Of 1,800,000 acres under wheat, 1,000,000 acres will never be cut. Rains cannot now change a stunted crop six to eight inches high and a small head into a crop. Best authorities hope for seed and feed, but this is doubtful.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, June 25.

WHEAT—Excited and irregular. July, 83¾@83¾c.

OATS—Unsettled. July, 24¾@26¼c.

RYE—Firm; demand fair and offerings light. No. 2 quotable at 62c, and No. 3 at 62c. July delivery, 62½c.

BARLEY—Very quiet owing to scarcity. Screenings salable at 33@36c. Feed and export, 38@40c. Low malting, 39@40c, and fair to good, 41@44c, and choice, 45@46c.

MESS PORK—Market fairly active, but unsettled. Prices irregular and quotable at $12.40@12.50 for cash regular, with old at 60@70c discount, and repacked old at $1.10@1.15 discount; $12.35@12.55 for July, and $12.55@12.80 for September.

LARD—Market moderately active, and prices irregular. Quotations ranged at $6.87½@6.90 for regular; $6.82½@6.85 for choice old; $6.87½@7.00 for July; $7.02½@7.17½ for September, and $7.05@7.15 for October.

SHORT RIB SIDES—Trade fairly active and prices irregular. Quotations ranged at $6.90@7.20 for cash, according to weight; $7.00@7.07½ for July, and $7.07½@7.25 for September.

NEW POTATOES—Market easy. Triumphs, sacked, good to choice, per bu., 55@58c; common and heated, 45@50c; Early Ohios, barrels, $1.40@1.50; Peerless Louisiana, $1.65@1.75.

EGGS—Feeling firm. Loss off, cases returned, quotably 11c; at mark, 8@10c; city recandled, new cases included, quotably, 12c.

BUTTER—Steady. Creameries, extra, 18¾c per pound; firsts, 17½@18c; seconds, 15½@17c; dairies, 14½@17c; imitation creameries, 15½@16c.

LIVE POULTRY—Market slow and steady. Turkeys, 5½@6½c; chickens, 7½@8c; ducks, 7@7½c per pound; geese, $3.00@4.50.

New York, June 25.

FLOUR—Unsettled and dull. Winter patents, $4.35@4.75; winter straights, $4.10@4.30; Minnesota patents, $5.00@5.30.

WHEAT—Spot firm. No. 2 red, 94¾c; options closed firm with last prices ¾@1⅛c under Saturday's official close; July, 89⅞@92¾c, closed 91¼c; September, 89⅞@93c, closed 91⅜c; December, 91⅝@93⅜c, closed 91⅝c.

CORN—Spot easy. No. 2, 48¾c; options closed easy at ⅞c net decline; July, 46⅜@47¼c, closed 46⅝c; September, 46⅝@48⅛c, closed 47⅜c.

OATS—Spot closed easy. No. 2, 29¼@29½c; No. 3, 29c; No. 2 white, 31½@31¾c; No. 3 white, 31c; track mixed Western, 29½@30½c; track white, 29½@35c; options dull and barely steady.

Live Stock.

Chicago, June 25.

HOGS—Market fairly active. Opened steady, but later became easier, with prices 5c lower. Sales ranged at $4.40@5.25 for Pigs; $5.15@5.35 for light; $5.10@5.20 for rough packing; $5.15@5.37½ for mixed, and $5.25@5.35 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

SHEEP—Market was moderately active and prices steady. Quotations ranged at $4.50@5.15 for Westerns; $3.75@5.15 for Natives; $5.60@6.75 for Western Lambs; $5.35@6.75 for native Lambs, and $5.00@7.25 for Spring Lambs.

Auction Sale

By order of the court, of the entire stock, safe, fixtures, tools and material of the Ricaby jewelry stock, St. Joseph, Mich., without limit or reserve. Sales daily at 2 and 7:30 p. m. until stock is sold.

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DAM CASE IS STARTED

Big Array of Legal Talent.

Going Over Bulkhead Matter.

Jury Selected Very Carefully.

The case of the people vs Harry Brown, Walter Martin, Jefferson Brown and Ezra L. Wood for destroying the gate flume and flush board of the old Gazley mill near Berrien Springs is on in the circuit court today, Judge Carr of Cass county presiding.

Five attorneys are interested in the case, Lawyers N. A. Hamilton and George Murdoch appearing for the prosecution and Attorneys L. C. Fyfe, W. W. Worthington and S. H. Kelly for the defendants.

Both sides exercised great care in the selection of jurymen, some little excitement being occasionally created in the selecting. The following were finally impanelled: M. E. Harger, Charles Lafter, T. W. Parvis, Charles Smith, Oscar Pratt, William Wessing, C. M. Babcock, William Johns, A. D. Hale, Joseph Spencer, E. VanderVeer, Anthony Drach.

Attorney Fyfe made a motion to quash the information and at 2:30 this afternoon the attorneys were still arguing the motion. The case will hold on for several days.

The whole matter is but a side issue of the Berrien Springs dam controversy. The mill property is owned by N. A. Perry, who is a friend of the Berrien Springs company. The four young men were under the employment of the Chapin company at the time of the attack on the mill.

A number of Berrien Springs citizens are attending the trial. Among them are President A. B. Ayers, Will Dester, Will Graham, Fred Williams, H. Bradley, William Light, George Kephart and Phil Kephart.

EXCURSION TO SOUTH HAVEN.

Next Sunday the Fare Will be Only 25 Cents.

The steamer City of Louisville will make an excursion to South Haven Sunday, July 1. Twenty-five cents for the round trip.

This will be the first low priced excursion of the season and is a delightful trip along and in sight of the east shore of Lake Michigan. At South Haven excursionists will have four hours to visit the numerous resorts and many other points of interest.

This makes an enjoyable day's outing. Try it.

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Naval Drill Tonight.

Naval militia will drill tonight. All members expecting to go on the cruise must be present for instruction.

New members who have not had their uniforms issued to them must be present.

Glass Blowers Are Here.

A large company of glass blowers arrived this afternoon. They will re-establish their camp on the banks of the St. Joseph river near Napier's bridge.

Marriage Licenses.

Edwin J. Bassett, 29, Three Oaks: Emma Gulow 23.

Theron A. Harmon, 29, Plymouth: Flora Belle Rackliffe, 27, Benton Harbor.

Glorious News

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THE WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair except local thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday. Cooler.

ARE THE BEST

Benton Harbor Spray Pumps Are Praised.

Morrill & Morely, the Benton Harbor manufacturers of the Eclipse spray pump, have just received word that their pumps and nozzles have been found of greater efficiency in a competition with a dozen other makes in a test at the government experimental station at Columbia, Mo.

This is a compliment to the Benton Harbor firm as they were not competitors in the test and did not know that their pumps were in the contest.

92 IN THE SHADE.

NO QUESTION BUT WHAT SUMMER HAS ARRIVED.

This is the warmest day of the summer so far in the game. The thermometer in front of Foeltzer's tailoring establishment registered 92 above zero at 11:30 this morning. A delightful breeze sprung up after noon and the liquid fell in the tube until at 3 o'clock it rested at 89 degrees where it remains at the time THE NEWS goes to press.

A COMMON CITIZEN

Census Enumerator Banyon Finishes His Task.

At exactly 3 o'clock this afternoon Census Enumerator Banyon unpinned his official badge and again became a common citizen.

He has expressed his reports to Benjamin S. Wing of Hastings. Enumerator Wenell has not completed his census.

SENT TO ST. JOSEPH.

Horde of Tramps Presented to Sister City.

The 48 hobos in the city jail were released at 2 o'clock this afternoon and started for St. Joseph with positive orders from the chief of police not to stop until they came in sight of the spires of the county seat. And thus will Chief Morton of St. Joseph and his gallant company of blue coats be kept busy for some hours.

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Fourth of July Excursions via Vandalia Line.

Tickets will be sold July 3 and 4 good to return until July 5, 1900, inclusive, between all stations within two hundred miles of initial point, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will also be sold to stations on connecting lines on same basis as above. For full particulars call on nearest Vandalia line ticket agent, or address

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Fourth of July Excursion.

The Indiana, Illinois & Iowa railroad will sell Fourth of July excursion tickets on July 2, 3 and 4 to all points within 200 miles at one fare for the round trip, children one-half of one way fare. Tickets good going on date of sale and returning to and including July 5.

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GEO. H. ROSS,
Traf. Mgr., Chicago, Ill.

Dr. S. M. White, dentist

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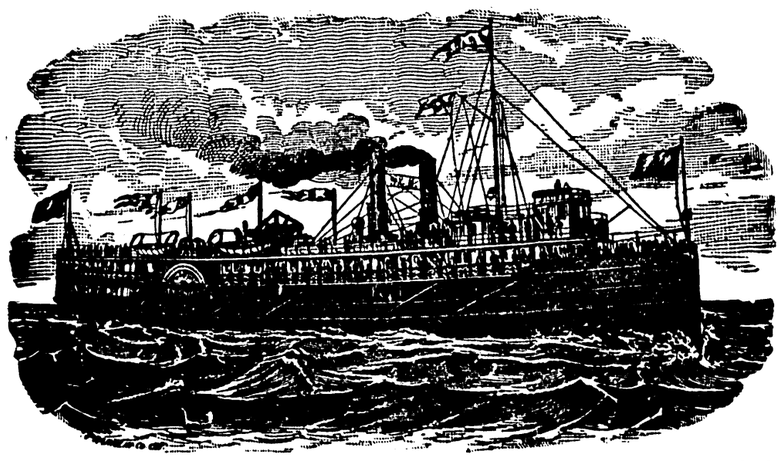

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Leave Chicago 9:30 a. m. daily. 12:30 noon daily ex. Sat. and Sunday. 11:30 p.m.daily inc. Sun. 2 p. m. Saturday only.	Arrive St. Joseph: 1:30 p. m. daily. 4:30 p. m. daily ex. Sat. and Sun. 4 a. m. daily. 2 p. m. Sundays only. 6 p. m. Saturday only.	Ar. Benton Harbor: 5:30 a. m. daily. 7 p. m. Saturday only.

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

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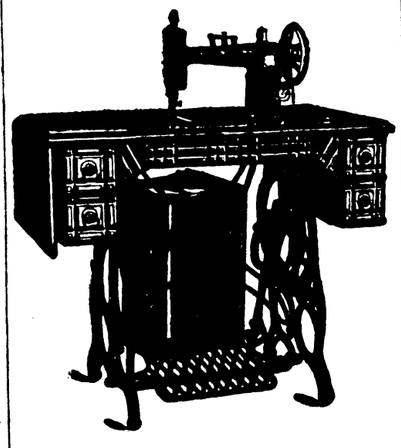

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Mr. Bryan Talks of the Coming Convention.

OUTLINES ITS PROBABLE PLATFORM.

Thinks It Will Contain Nothing Which Can Be Construed as Surrender or Modification of the Old Issues.

Lincoln, Neb., June 26.—W. J. Bryan returned at noon Monday from his Wisconsin fishing trip and later visit at Chicago. He will remain in Lincoln until after the democratic national convention. He said he had been placed in a wrong position by some one who had presumed to outline his plan of campaign, and dictated the following:

"Any statement made by anybody in regard to campaign plans are without foundation or authority. No plans have been made by me or by anyone for me, and no plans will be made till after the convention has been held."

Outlines the Platform.

Mr. Bryan was asked whether he could say anything in regard to the platform to be adopted at Kansas City. He replied:

"No one of course can say what language will be used in setting forth the party principles. But some idea can be obtained as to the general tenor of the platform from the platforms adopted in the state conventions. As a large majority of the delegates have been elected by conventions which reaffirmed the Chicago platform, it is safe to assume that the Kansas City platform will reaffirm the Chicago platform, and will contain nothing which can be construed as a surrender or modification of the platform on the old issues.

"It is equally certain that there will be a strong and definite plank against the trusts. There is also no doubt that the plank against imperialism will be clear and explicit. Militarism will be denounced and sympathy expressed for the Boers. This much is evident from what has already taken place."

The Vice Presidency.

"You have refused to discuss the vice presidency heretofore, Mr. Bryan. Is there any truth in the rumors that a vice president will be chosen whose views on the money question will be attractive to those who opposed the ticket in 1896?"

"It is true that I have refused to discuss the vice presidency," replied Mr. Bryan, "and I do not care to do so now, further than to say that I assume that the candidate nominated for vice president will be in harmony with the platform. The vice president not only presides over the senate while the president is alive, but assumes the office of president in case of the president's death, and it is hardly probable that delegates to a national convention would write a platform and then select for either place on a ticket a man who would repudiate the platform. No man worthy to be considered for such an office would accept a nomination upon a platform repugnant to his views on any important issue. In every campaign men support a ticket without approving all of the platform, but no one can defend a platform unless he believes in it. Many tariff reform gold democrats supported the republican ticket four years ago, although they dissented from the protection plank. But the republican convention would not have nominated a tariff reformer upon a protection platform. There is sometimes a joint debate between candidates on opposing tickets, but not between candidates on the same ticket."

Men for Second Place.

New York, June 26. — The following table, showing the opinions of 35 democratic national and state committeemen who have replied to the World's question: "Who would make the strongest running mate for Bryan in the doubtful states?"

David B. Hill	9
New Yorker (to be chosen)	5
Rear Admiral W. S. Schley	5
B. F. Shiveley	3
Charles A. Towne	3
Carter H. Harrison	2
Gen. Fitzhugh Lee	1
Admiral George Dewey	1
George Fred Williams	1
No choice yet	5

Favor Hill.

Atlanta, Ga., June 26.—Among representatives of the democracy of Georgia who will leave for Kansas City Sunday to attend the national convention the mention of David B. Hill as Bryan's running mate has been received with great favor. Elliott Danforth, of New York; Amos Cummings, of New York, and ex-Congressman Shively, of Indiana, will also not be without supporters.

Noted Robber Killed.

Rome, June 26.—Fioravanti, a notorious robber, who has for 20 years been the terror of the country where he has operated, was killed by a peasant in the forest near Grosseto.

Cholera Claims Over 10,000 Victims.

London, June 26.—The governor of Bombay wires that there were 10,277 deaths from cholera out of 15,479 cases during the week ending June 16.

New President Presides.

Edinburgh, June 26.—The World's Woman's Christian Temperance union congress reassembled under the presidency of Mrs. Bailey.

ENGLISH LEGATION AT PEKING.

Entrance to Headquarters of British Minister at Chinese Capital.

Unprecedented Rains Do Great Damage to Cotton and Corn in Southern States.

Atlanta, Ga., June 26.—Reports received here from many points in Georgia and portions of Alabama and South Carolina show that the recent heavy rains have inundated a vast territory and caused enormous damage to bridges and farming properties. Crops, including cotton, corn, and especially fruit, which was nearing majority when the wet season began, have been greatly injured, and a vast amount has been lost to the farmers of the southeastern states. The rainfall has been unprecedented. All the streams are out of their banks and carrying away bridges. A tornado was reported near Huntsville, Ala., sweeping the country, but no loss of life is known. The lowlands have been devastated, and the higher farming lands are untouched. Indications are for a cessation of the rain, which will cause the streams to fall rapidly.

CLOSELY SHADOWED.

Ex-Gov. Taylor, of Kentucky, Followed by Detectives with Warrant for His Arrest.

Philadelphia, June 26.—Broken in health and spirits, ex-Gov. William S. Taylor, of Kentucky, started for Niagara Falls Monday night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Taylor, and four detectives followed close at their heels. Two of the officers represented the state of Kentucky, and bear warrants for the arrest of Mr. Taylor upon charges growing out of the assassination of Gov. Goebel. The other two are employed by Mr. Taylor to guard his person. His stay in this city was devoid of personal pleasure. He accepted but one invitation, and denied himself to everybody who called upon him at the hotel where he made his headquarters. He came here to attend the republican national convention as a delegate at large only after having been assured that no requisition calling for his enforced return to Kentucky would be honored. The strain is telling upon both Gov. and Mrs. Taylor. All the time they were in the city their rooms were closely guarded, and Mrs. Taylor personally answered every rap upon the door. She denied herself to all callers, and was on the verge of collaps several times. It is understood that Mr. Taylor will not be surrendered to the Kentucky authorities by Gov. Roosevelt, and that he will be immune from arrest until he shall return to Indiana, where he is now making his home, or until such time as he shall return to Kentucky.

Fatal Cyclone.

Guthrie, O. T., June 26.—An unconfirmed report says a terrific cyclone passed over Beaver county Sunday night, killing two men, injuring three and destroying much property. William Hasberger, aged 15, and Mrs Paul Rhodes were seriously injured The county was swept for 20 miles and 20 houses were blown over, trees uprooted and damage done to growing crops. Big herds of cattle were stampeded and many of them injured and killed.

A Warm Day.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 26.—Monday was by far the hottest day of the season here, the government thermometer registering 94. The mercury in thermometers on the streets in many places touched the 100 mark, and some of them a little beyond. In northern Minnesota and North Dakota, the heat was greater than in this city. Devil's Lake reports 100 in the shade, Grafton 107 in the shade, Pembina 101. The average throughout Minnesota was about 95 degrees.

Affects Price of Ginseng.

Louisville, Ky., June 26.—The troubles in China are beginning to affect the remote districts of the Kentucky mountains in the ginseng trade, by which hundreds of people make a living. Ever since the Boxers began their outrages the price of ginseng has been dropping. A month ago it was quoted at $3.75. Monday it was down to $2.25 a pound for the Kentucky product, the lowest price in four years.

Polled a Big Vote.

Portland, Ore., June 26.—Mrs. Abigail Scott Dunway, president of the Oregon State Suffrage association, Monday gave out the following: "The equal suffrage amendment was defeated at the recent state election by a vote of 28,402 to 26,265. Suffrage leaders are jubilant over the large vote. Twenty-one counties out of 33 gave good majorities. One county was lost by a tie and one by one vote."

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The New Era accepts both men and women on equal terms, and has written $134,000.00 insurance in this city, and its members are well pleased with it. J. H. Jackson, of Benton Harbor, has the management of this district and will look after the interests of this association. Give him your co-operation.

New Era Table of Rates for each $1000

	Month	Quar.	S.A.	Annual
18 to 28 yrs.	$ .40	$1.20	$2.40	$ 4.80
29 to 33 yrs.	.45	1.35	2.70	5.40
34 to 38 yrs.	.50	1.50	3.00	6.00
39 to 41 yrs.	.55	1.65	3.30	6.60
42 to 44 yrs.	.60	1.80	3.60	7.20
At 45 years	.65	1.95	3.90	7.80
At 46 years	.70	2.10	4.20	8.40
At 47 years	.75	2.25	4.50	9.00
At 48 years	.80	2.40	4.80	9.60
At 49 years	.85	2.55	5.10	10.20
At 50 years	.90	2.70	5.40	10.80
At 51 years	.95	2.85	5.70	11.40
At 52 years	1.00	3.00	6.00	12.00
At 53 years	1.05	3.15	6.30	12.60
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FIFTH YEAR—NO. 228 BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY JUNE 26, 1900. TWO CENTS.

HAS A BIG BOOM

But It Came to Berrien Springs Too Late.

And Will Not Figure in the Census of 1900.

Berrien Springs, after its years of slumber, has actually aroused itself and now has started on a race to rival Benton Harbor for premier honors in the aggregation of Berrien county cities.

Hon. N. A. Hamilton has returned from a trip to Berrien Springs. He drove up and was enabled to note the general prosperity of the country about the old county seat.

"Berrien Springs is decidedly on the move," remarked the attorney to a reporter this morning. "I was very pleasantly surprised. The new canning factory is a good industry. As I approached Berrien Springs I passed as many as 30 hay racks full of peas consigned to the factory. I visited the place myself and was much pleased with the business air of the proprietors. The peas are unloaded from the wagons directly into a machine which shells them at a rapid rate. The shelled peas are then weighed and a check immediately written out for the farmer. While I stood watching the operation of the mill one grower was given $50 for a single consignment of peas.

The same grower informed me that he averaged $100 an acre on each crop of his peas. The land is very rich and farmers grow two crops of peas with ease.

"The dam will be another great advantage for the village. It will be 6 miles long and as wide as ½ a mile in some places making a large, beautiful lake.

"Several residences are under construction, but when completed the demand will be just as strong as before. Everyone has work and the population is increasing daily.

"Considering the splendid location of the village, its unexcelled healthfulness, its good scenery and magnificent drives, I make the prediction that within ten years Berrien Springs will be the most popular watering place within 100 miles of Chicago, excepting only Lake Geneva."

DALLIN'S PROPOSITION.

People of Sister Lake Can Secure Road for $1,500.

Dowagiac News: As previously noted in The News the proposed Eastern & Northwestern railroad will go far enough out of its original air line survey to accommodate the people of Sister Lakes for a consideration of $1,500 to be paid by M. Defendorf, owner of the Sister Lakes resort, and the farmers and other interests of that vicinity. Mr. Dallin's proposition to the people of Sister Lakes is as follows:

"We are now constructing a line of railway from Lake Michigan, in the vicinity of Benton Harbor or St. Joseph, to Lake Erie, in the vicinity of Toledo, Ohio, and have contracted to have the same constructed and in operation by the end of the year 1901. We are now about to locate the line from Dowagiac west, and we will bring this line to Sister Lakes by way of Magician lake, locating a depot at your place and giving you ample passenger and freight service upon the line, and will have the line in operation by December 31, 1901, provided your people give us $1,500, to be paid to us upon completion and operation of the line as herein stated. If we locate the line in your vicinity we should know your pleasure during the next few days, and trust to receive your early reply."

BUCHANAN, MICH., May 22.
Genessee Pure Food Co., LeRoy, N.Y.:
Gentlemen:—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package every week. I am ten years old. Yours respectfully,
FANNIE WILLIAMS.

A HOME MINING COMPANY.

Prominent Citizens Interest as Officers and Directors of the Black Hills Copper Company.

It was hinted some time ago that Benton Harbor was to have the home office and control of a copper mine so soon as the stipulated requirements could be carried out.

During G. M. Thresher's last visit to Deadwood he secured control of the Black Hills Copper property for the parties whom he was representing, reorganized the company and had the charter amended permitting the election of the officers at Benton Harbor with this city as the principal place of business. This was transacted at a meeting of stockholders and directors of the old company held in Deadwood, at which time the following gentlemen were elected directors of the new organization: Messrs. John E. Barnes, John Robinson, T. L. Wilkinson, of St. Joseph; Chas. Johnson, of Niles and G. M. Thresher. At this meeting the former owners accepted stock in the new company as entire payment for the property, thus showing their confidence in the proposition, and all the location certificates and deeds to the eleven claims which have been recorded, were turned over to Mr. Thresher with the corporate seal of the company. Owing to other interests in South Dakota Chas. Johnson concluded it would not be advisable for him to act as a director and Frank V. Eastman was appointed instead.

At a meeting of the new directors held in this city a few days ago the following gentlemen were elected as officers of the company: President, John E. Barns; vice-president, T. L. Wilkinson; treasurer, John Robinson; secretary, George M. Thresher. The office of the company will be with G. M. Thresher at 115 Territorial street.

This property comprises 210 acres of ground extending in a northerly and southerly direction for over a mile along the copper bearing lodes. The former owners have done considerable work upon the property and without means or tools have made a few shipments with the result of smelter returns showing the ore far richer in copper contents than any of the Michigan mines.

It is the purpose of the new directors to systematically develop the property into a valuable mine. The company's superintendent is one of the largest stockholders and therefore will use his best efforts to accomplish the greatest work at the least cost. Machinery is now being installed and work of development is going forward in earnest.

Stock certificates will be issued in a few days to those holding receipts and for additional sale of shares for development work only. The directors believe they have a very valuable property and one in which they are warranted in recommending the purchase of the treasury shares, which for the present are offered at ten cents on the dollar. They do not claim an investment in this stock is entirely free from the element of chance. In fact manufacturing, mercantile, farming and all industries are subject to the uncertainties of profit. The officers of the company, however, are among the most successful and influential business men of this community, and their standing is a guarantee of honest and capable management. This consideration together with the fact that statistics show that investments in copper mines in their developmental state have yielded greater profits than any other kind of investments, should invite investigation by the investing public of the Black Hills Copper company's proposition.

Probate Court.

John C. Dick, administrator of the estate of Caroline Batchelor, deceased, filed his petition for the sale of the real estate of deceased at private sale for the payment of claims. Hearing set for July 23, at 10 a. m.

Minnie Simons filed her petition for the appointment of Alexander Fulton as administrator of the estate of Cora Metzger, deceased, late of Royalton. Hearing set for July 18 at 10 a. m.

A petition was filed by Peter Womer for the probate of the will of Samuel Spangel, deceased late of Bertrand township, and for the appointment of himself as executor of said estate. Hearing set for July 18 at 10 a. m.

Alice C. Cann filed her petition for the probate of the will of Mary J. Torney deceased, late of Niles, and for the appointment of herself as executrix of said estate. Hearing set for July 18 at 10 a. m.

Bad Blood is a bad thing. It is responsible for scrofula, salt rheum, humors and many other diseases, including rheumatism and that tired feeling. Bad blood is made good blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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MICHIGAN.

Michigan applicants granted pensions: Original—Elliott B. Kinns, Williamston, $6: Isaac Smalley, Ithaca, $6: Garrett H. Van Voorhess, Kawkawlin, $8. Additional—Eri D. Babcock, Harbor Springs, $8. Restoration—Harrison Ferguson, Albion, $8 Restoration and reissue—Deloss Morton, Brighton, $8. Renewal and increase—Joel Vincent, West Bay City, $17. Increase—Chester A. Hilton, Grand Rapids, $24; George W. Collins, Benton Harbor, $12; Lafayette Brigham, Vernon, $17; William Gillis, Breckenridge, $10; George S. Osborn, West Bay City, $12; Henry W. Welling, Grand Rapids, $8; Van Rensaler M. Lemm, DeWitt, $17; Joseph Everts, Otter Lake, $17; Erastus P. Sperry, Lapeer, $17; August Glaser, Riga, $10; Lewis A. Adams, Kalamazoo, $17; George W. Clute, Mount Morris, $17; Stephen W. Mauk, Clio, $10; Oren E. Barber, Ludington, $30. Widows—Mary N. Griswold, Vermontville, $12; Percis A. Jones, Marion, $8; Susanna Mation, Battle Creek, $12; Catharine Reed, Covert, $8.

Republican editors will meet in conference at Grand Rapids this evening.

Oren Scotten of Detroit, who sold out his tobacco factory to the trust, has started in business in that city and will fight the trust.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles 10c at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

DOWAGIAC'S FOURTH.

$1,000 Has Been Raised for Monster Celebration.

Our neighboring town Dowagiac, is reaping benefits from an organization which should exist in this and every other town. The enterprising manufacturers and business and professional men have banded themselves together and formed what is known as the Dowagiac amusement association, the purpose of which is to insure each year a proper and dignified celebration of July fourth and Labor day. The result of this organization has been that on July fourth this year Dowagiac will have a celebration that will be worth going many miles to see. $1,000 has been raised with little effort and this vast sum will be used to entertain the largest crowd that enterprising and progressive little city has ever seen. Reports coming from there indicate that the people are not doing much else at the present time other than preparing to entertain all southwestern Michigan on this occasion. The affair is being extensively advertised by flaming posters and through the press.

AT POTTAWATOMIE PARK

E. Olmstead Will Give a Dance July 4.

E. Olmstead is preparing to give a grand party at Pottawatomie park on July 4. The music will be furnished by Mrs. Hewitt of Chicago on a piano. A delightful time is assured. The bill will be 50 cents. Ice cream and refreshments will be served on the ground.

Berrien Springs Lady Dead.

Berrien Springs, June 26.—Mrs. Edward Edison, aged 65 years, is dead. She had been a resident of the village for over 40 years.

A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

A. O. U. W. Picnic.

Annual outing and picnic of Prudential lodge No. 79 and ladies auxilary D. of H. at Somerleyton on Saturday, June 30. Steamer Tourist will leave Benton Harbor dock at 9 o'clock sharp. Returning at 6 p. m. Everybody invited. Come with us and enjoy a ride up the old St. Joe. Bring your baskets, bring your families and children. Fare 20 cents round trip.

THE M. B. H. & C. will sell tickets to Three Oaks, June 27 and 28. Good to return up to and including June 29. Account, unveiling of Dewey cannon. One fare for the round trip.

Fourth of July Excursion.

The Indiana, Illinois & Iowa railroad will sell Fourth of July excursion tickets on July 2, 3 and 4 to all points within 200 miles at one fare for the round trip, children one-half of one way fare. Tickets good going on date of sale and returning to and including July 5. FRANK R. HALE, Traf. Mgr., St. Joseph, Mich.
GEO. H. ROSS, Traf. Mgr., Chicago, Ill.

Fireworks at King's Landing.

There will be a dance and fireworks at King's landing on the night of July 4. All are cordially invited. Floor managers, John Clayton and W. E. Versaw. Music by Burnam, Murphy and Calvin's full orchestra. Bill 50 cents. 9t227.

No Room for Doubt.

Evidence Like This Cannot be Disputed.

Grand Rapids.—Mr. Benjamin Barendsen, the well known notary public, who by sturdy effort and strict integrity has won an honorable position as one of Grand Rapids' representative business men, makes the following statement:

"I feel it my duty to make public the virtues I found in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Although ordinarily of a robust constitution, I have suffered a great deal from time to time with heart palpitation and difficulty in breathing. Recently this trouble became worse, so bad indeed as to unfit me for business. My skin assumed a yellow tinge and I was distressed by severe pains in my back and in the region of my heart. Fortunately, however, just as my anxiety had reached its highest pitch, I read of the wonderful cures being accomplished by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, bought a 25 cent box, and began taking them according to directions.

When I had taken three-fourths of the box, I began to feel and look like my former self, my appetite returned, and after finishing the first box and part of a second, I found myself restored to perfect health. I believe I am thoroughly cured and can conscientiously recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to all who may be similarly affected."

Don't wait until it is too late. If your back aches, or you have any trouble with your urine, any discoloration or deposits in same, or any disorder of the stomach or liver, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a guaranteed cure for those troubles. Send your name and stamp for a free sample package.

One pill a dose, price 25c a box at all druggists, or Dr. A. W. Chase Med. Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase on every box you buy.

NOT AS RICH AS REPORTED.

Oom Paul Kruger Is Not the Lordly Capitalist He Is Generally Pictured.

One of the South African papers having published an exaggerated account of the worldly possessions of President Paul Kruger, a London journal has undertaken to get at the truth as to his wealth. It is generally admitted that the head of the Transvaal rebellion is the possessor of valuable property, entitling him to the rank of millionaire, but that his real estate is worth "between £19,000,000 and £20,000,000" even the most credulous would be loath to take in without a grain of salt. The South African paper goes on to state that "he owns 180 freehold farms, many of them on the Main reef, which he would not allow to be worked," but it is to be remembered that there are not a great number of farms on the Main reef altogether. He is, however, known to have sold one farm for $500,000. He is said to be the largest land owner in Rustenburg district, and the largest shareholder in the Netherlands railway, dynamite concessions and Hatherley distillery. This may be true, although there is no confirmation of it. As regards his alleged ownership of a large and valuable estate in Cape Colony, one in Holland, and also one in Germany, little is known, but it is generally believed that he has taken care to invest in property that cannot easily be touched by the imperial power. He is credited with having two millions in German consols, but whatever his holding in that security amounts to there are no data to go upon, as it is in the form of bearer securities, whose ownership could only be estimated.

Guitar can be taught in one lesson so you can play or no pay by E. J. Miller whose headquarters is now at A. H. Wiggins drug store so enquire there for particulars. tf

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Sunday, July 8, Lansing and Grand Ledge.

Arbeiter Picnic and celebration at Lansing. An enjoyable day is assured all who attend. Several good bands will furnish music in addition to Glee Club concert, etc. The usual good things connected with German picnics will be provided for the entertainment of visitors. Special train will leave Benton Harbor at 6 a. m. Leave Lansing returning at 7 p. m. Rate $2 00.
H. F. MOELLER, Acting G. P. A.

Clairvoyant.

Zula, the Clairvoyant, has removed to 815 Ship street, two doors west of court house, St. Joseph, Mich., and will be glad to meet all her old friends, as well as new ones. Sundays 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. 221tf

NOTICE.

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" " " " 7.00, " - -	5.50
" " " " 6.00, " -	3.75
" skirts " " 3.00 to 4.00 go at	2.98
" " " " 5.00 to 7.00 "	3.48
Ladies' linen skirts for 39, 48, 60, 89 to	2.50

Big Bargain Offering in Wrappers.

Ladies' Wrappers that were 75c go at	48c
" " " " $1 go at	69c
" " " " $1.25 go at	98c

Women's Summer Underwear.

Ladies' ribbed Jersey vests go at, 6 for	25c
25 doz. ladies' ribbed Jersey vests, in white, echru and fancy, go at 2 for	25c
Children's ribbed union suits, sleeveless, go at	19c
Ladies' gowns, good muslin, at 48c, 69c, 89c to	$1 48
Ladies' drawers, good muslin at 25c, 35c, 48c to	75c

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

10 dozen shirt waists, made of good grade percales, these are good grade percales, these are broken lines worth from 65c to $1, choice for 39c.

Carpets & Mattings

Prices have been severely cut in this department.

A good hemp carpet at - -	11c yd.
Ingrain and art mattings at - -	19c yd.
Union Ingrain carpet at - -	29c yd.
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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1900.

THE coal trust promises to advance the price of anthracite coal 25 cents a ton July 1. Since the advance in flour the coal barons have been troubled to buy bread at the present prices.

THE republicans at Grand Rapids tomorrow promise to fight about an equal taxation plank in the platform. For several years the republicans have promised to equalize the taxes levied in the state and if the present platform fails to contain the same plank it will be a matter of regret to the party managers when the votes are counted.

BERRIEN county would be a good home for Theodore Roosevelt. If he lived here he would not be forced to take office. For state officers this county could on a pinch furnish the following candidates: For governor, Roscoe D. Dix and Victor M. Gore; for lieutenant governor, Edwin A. Blakeslee; for auditor general, Roscoe D. Dix; for member of the state board of education, E. A. Wilson.

MARTIN J. Russell, editor of the Chicago Chronicle, died yesterday. He was not only an editor, he was a journalist, not only a journalist, but a man. Those who could not agree with him respected his opinions. It was largely his personality that made the Chronicle a success. That paper was started shortly before the campaign of 1896 as a democratic organ. When the free silver issue came up Russell placed his paper in opposition to the candidates of his party. To the surprise of many the new paper lived. It was largely Russell who accomplished the seemingly impossible—running a party organ in opposition to the party and reaping success.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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I. I. & I. Excursion Bulletin

In addition to the above we will sell on certain dates during the next 30 days tickets at reduced rates to the following points: Boston, Mass., Cincinnati, Ohio, Evansville, Ind., Quebec, Chatanooga, Tenn., Elkhart, Ind., Montreal, New York City.

Will sell excursion tickets to Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver at one fare for round trip plus $2.00 on May 15 and June 5 and 19, 1900. Look up our service and connections.

The Indiana, Illinois & Iowa R. R. will sell Homeseekers' excursion tickets on May 15, June 5, and June 19 to points in the south, southwest, west and northwest at one fare for the round trip plus $2.00. We offer you the best routes and connections.

Arrange to take advantage of the I. I. & I. Niagara Falls excursion in August. Exact date will be given at an early day. No local stops after leaving our line. Only one night on the road

The steamer Tourist makes three trips a day to river points. Leaves St. Joe at 9 a. m., 2 and 4:30 p. m. 6t222

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JUNE 29 AND 30

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'Powhatan'

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Box office open at 9 o'clock, June 29.

VERDICT RETURNED.

Coroner's Jury in Strike Inquest at St. Louis Decides.

FIXES RESPONSIBILITY ON NO ONE.

One Victim Killed by Deputies in Discharge of Duty—Two Others Slain by Parties Unknown Without Justification.

St. Louis, June 26.—The coroner's jury, sitting in the inquests on the bodies of Edward Thomas, George Rine and Edward Burkhardt, strikers who were shot and killed on Sunday, June 10, in a riot which took place in front of the barracks of the posse comitatus, at Sixth street and Washington avenue, returned verdicts to the effect that the former was killed by deputies in the discharge of their duties, and that the two latter were killed without justification by parties unknown to the jury. The verdict of homicide in all cases, but no persons were held responsible. The riot, according to the jury, followed the act of some unknown person, who broke the window of a passenger street car. The examination of almost 200 witnesses failed to reveal the identity of any deputy who participated in the shooting or of any striker who contributed to the disturbances which precipitated the riot.

The federal court has issued a temporary injunction at St. Louis restraining the street railway men's union from interfering with the running of mail cars.

READY FOR CELEBRATION.

Elaborate Plans Made by Three Oaks for the Unveiling of the Dewey Cannon.

Three Oaks, Mich., June 26.—The programme for the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the Dewey cannon, June 28, is substantially complete. The address of welcome on behalf of the state of Michigan will be delivered by Gen. R. A. Alger and the oration of the day by William E. Barton, D. D., of Chicago, on the theme "The Victories of Peace and of War." The unveiling of the Dewey cannon will be performed by Helen Miller Gould. There will be a chorus of 250 voices, and a full orchestra, and Miss Estelle Harrington is to sing the patriotic solos.

Rathbone Removed.

Washington, June 26.—The postmaster general has issued an order removing from office Estes G. Rathbone, who had been suspended by a former order from the position of director general of posts of Cuba, and detailing Martin C. Fosnes, an inspector in the postal service, to perform the duties of director general of posts until further orders. Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow has been relieved from further work in Cuba and has sailed for home.

Envoys to Sail Thursday.

New York, June 26.—The National Boer Relief Fund association, of which W. Bourke Cockran was chairman, and George W. Van Siclen secretary-treasurer, has concluded its operations and turned over its net collections to the Boer envoys, Messrs. Fischer, Wolmarans and Wessels, instead of sending them to Dr. Hoffmeier at Cape Town, or to Dr. Leyds and Dr. Muller in Europe. The envoys will sail for Havre on the steamer A'Quitaine, Thursday, June 28.

New Silver Certificates.

Washington, June 26.—Five-dollar silver certificates of the new design made their first appearance Monday and took the place of the old fives in all treasury payments from the cash-room. The feature of the new note is a large typical Indian head in the center, with a blue seal and a large letter "V," with the word "Five" also in blue, running in a curved line across it. As an artistic production this note is regarded as equal to any ever issued by the government.

Sentence Commuted.

Washington, June 26.—The president has commuted to five years the sentence of life imprisonment imposed on Alphonse J. Jennings, convicted in Chickasha, I. T., in February, 1899, of train robbery. The attorney general considered the sentence of Jennings unjust, as others convicted with him at the same time received lighter sentences.

Ordered to Manila.

Washington, June 26.—By an order issued Monday Brig. Gen. Thomas H. Barry, United States volunteers, will be relieved from duty in the office of the adjutant general in this city, to take effect July 5, and will proceed to Manila, where he will act as chief of staff to the commanding general.

Big Deal in Lumber.

Menominee, Mich., June 26.—The Kirby-Carpenter company sold 15,000,000 feet of pine stuff lumber to Francis Beidler & Co., of Chicago, for shipment by water. The deal involves $100,000, and is the heaviest sale of the season.

Dismiss Cases Against Ice Trust.

New York, June 26. — The grand jury handed in a report to Judge McMahon in part I. of general sessions Monday afternoon in which they dismissed the cases of conspiracy against the officers of the American Ice company.

Journalist Dead.

Chicago, June 26.—Martin J. Russell, one of the publishers of the Chicago Chronicle, and for years one of the most brilliant editorial writers in Chicago, and the northwest, died at Mackinac island of Bright's disease.

CURRENT EVENTS.

President McKinley will go to Canton this week for his vacation.

Prohibition party leaders claim their national ticket will receive 300,000 votes this fall.

Fire caused nearly $100,000 damage in the Owen Belt building at State and Adams streets, Chicago.

The famine situation in India is unchanged and copious rains are needed in order that the natives may plow and sow.

James H. Eckels says business conditions are better than admitted, farmers are prosperous, and trade will continue good.

The work of removing the Lackawanna Iron & Steel company's mills from Scranton, Pa., to Buffalo, N. Y., has been started.

Anti-imperialists held a meeting in New York and adopted a resolution to call a conference after the democratic national convention.

Sheriff Neal Morrison was wounded and two of his deputies killed near Cloud Chief, O. T., while pursuing George Casey and a man named McKee, who had broken jail at Arapahoe.

Gov. Roosevelt announces that he has made up his mind not to publicly discuss any plans for the campaign until after July 12, when he is to be formally notified of his nomination for vice president.

A letter has been received by the Chattanooga News from Commissioner of Pensions Evans in which he denies the story published several days ago to the effect that he would resign as pension commissioner and run for congress.

The secretary of the navy has authorized the following names for the new battleships and cruisers: Battleships, Virginia and Rhode Island. Armored cruisers, Maryland, Colorado and South Dakota. Protected cruisers, St. Louis, Milwaukee and Charleston.

The big steel plant at Columbus, O., which was shut down a week ago, has resumed operations with a full force. At the time of the suspension it was said to be on account of strikes in the west which prevented the acceptance of the material turned out on orders.

Kentucky democratic leaders announced Monday that the democratic state convention at Lexington, July 19, is certain to pass a resolution asking Gov. Beckham to call an extra session of the legislature in order to modify the Goebel election law, so it may be in operation in amended form at the November election.

The examination of Charles F. W. Neely, which has been postponed a number of times and was set for Monday before United States Commissioner Shields, in New York city, has been again postponed to next Friday, at 10:30 a. m. The postponement was by the arrangement and mutual consent of counsel.

William H. Robinson, who recently was discharged from the Louisiana state insane asylum, Sunday murdered William Stessel in his own home at New Orleans. A crowd pursued him, threatening lynching, when he killed one of them, a young man named Whittaker, and shot a policeman. He was finally captured and locked up.

Thirty-Seven Dead.

Atlanta, Ga., June 26.—Thirty-seven bodies have been recovered from the wreckage of the Southern train which went into a washout one mile and a half from McDonough Saturday night. Three bodies were found Monday. Many bodies of the dead have not been identified, and these remain at the undertaking establishments waiting to be claimed by relatives or friends. These bodies are principally those of negro section hands who were killed.

Kills, Then Cures.

The pork packer has a queer way of doing business. After killing a hog he cures it.—Chicago Daily News.

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Boys' cotton pants	15c	Ladies' elegant capes	98c
Good Brownie overalls	25c	Children's dresses	48c
Men's Overalls	39c	Children's jackets and capes	98c
Ladies' linen dress skirts	48c	Good L L sheetings	5c
Ladies' black worsted dress skirts	1.48	Good cotton toweling	3c
Ladies' silk dress skirts	4.98	Good all linen checked crash	5c
Ladies' summer undershirts	48c	Good prints	4c
Ladies' shirt waists	19c	Ladies' silk mitts	15c
Ladies' muslin underwear	25c	Ladies' leather belts	5c

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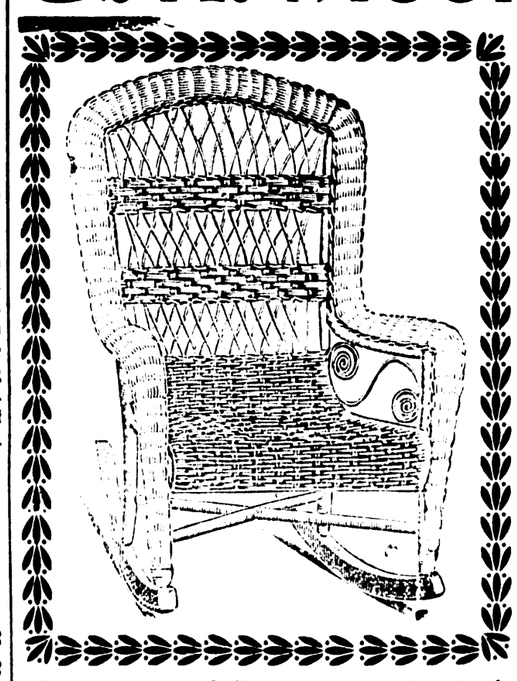

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10 dozen men's gauze shirts only—others would ask you 25c for the same garment. We will sell them at 15c while they last.

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DATES TO RESERVE.

June 26—College recital at Bell opera house.

June 28—Unveiling cannon at Three Oaks.

June 29—Indian opera "Powhatan" at the Bell.

June 30—A. O. U. W. picnic up the St. Joe river.

June 27—Republican state convention at Grand Rapids.

July 4—Democratic county convention, Conkey's hall, Benton Harbor.

July 18—Berrien county republican nominating convention at St. Joseph.

IN LOCAL BUSINESS CIRCLES.

Ladies with little hair can buy during the next 30 days, $3.50 switches for $2. Madame DeCanter, 306 State street. Twin City 'phone 319. Over Rimes & Hildebrand's store. 187tf

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Public Notice--Sewer.

Notice is hereby given that the plat and diagram, profile, specifications, etc., of the proposed sewer on Vineyard avenue are now on file in the office of the city clerk for examination. And notice is also hereby given that the city council and board of public works will meet at the city hall on Monday, June 25. 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m., to hear and consider any suggestions and objections that may be made by parties interested with respect to said proposed sewer.
R. P. CHADDOCK, City Clerk.
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THERE will be initiation at Benton lodge, I. O. O. F., tonight.

NULL'S military band will give their first open air concert tomorrow night.

MRS. Ida Stuart Edgar will speak at the Rescue Mission tomorrow evening. ad dates

ORCHARD Park and Eastman Springs were thronged with visitors yesterday.

GEORGE Fisher has been appointed postmaster at Sodus to succeed Albert Schell, resigned.

TICKETS for the A. O. U. W. excursion can be had at B. L. Hall's and Skelley & Glew's grocery.

KATIE Putnam and an excellent company will appear in the Bell opera house on the night of July 4.

THE Graham & Morton company will run an excursion to South Haven next Sunday. The low fare of 25 cents will be charged.

THE dances in the Indian opera "Powhatan" are a special feature. Among them is the celebrated "La Czarina" dance, performed by 40 young misses in picturesque costume.

TWO hundred members of the C. E. and Y. P. A. of Dowagiac and vicinity arrived over the M. B. H. & C. this morning and are having a grand picnic on the bluff in St. Joseph. The excursionists were met at the train by delegations from the local C. E. societies.

ON Thursday the Michigan Central will run a special from Three Oaks which will arrive at Buchanan at 6:30 and the train on the Benton Harbor & Columbus will not leave Buchanan until the arrival of the Michigan Central. The fare for the round trip from Benton Harbor will be 90 cents.

CHIEF of Police Johnson and Officers O'Brien and Montaine had a general round-up last night. They gathered about 40 hobos of all colors and shapes together and placed them all in the city jail and this morning they were informed that unless they left town at once they would be severely dealt with.

WALTER S. Martin of Berrien Springs has been appointed a clerk in the railway postal service at an annual salary of $900. He has not been assigned yet. Mr. Martin was a member of Co. I and he received his appointment because of the services he rendered his country in Cuba.

AT 4:20 Monday afternoon a team of horses attached to a light spring wagon and belonging to A. M. Stewart of Bainbridge became frightened and ran away, tearing down West Main street at a merry clip. In front of Hirsch's meat market a delivery wagon belonging to that establishment was run into and a wheel smashed. The Bainbridge farmer settled for the damage done the meat wagon.

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He--I understand you have been attending an ambulance class. Can you tell me what is the best thing to do for a broken heart?

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Quite Forgot Himself.

"Are you the master of the house?" asked the census taker.

"No, indeed," replied the forlorn-looking man; but the next moment he recovered himself. "Yes, yes! I am," he said; "I forgot myself for the moment. You see, my wife died only last week."—Philadelphia Record.

A Dark Outlook.

"You will make money rapidly," said the medium, "and be overtaken by great misfortune."

"O, horrors!" cried the sitter. "Can it be that fate intends me for the awful role of a millionaire?"—Philadelphia North American.

Two Old Growlers.

The One—Now, you know well enough all women are artificial. They are never natural.

The Other—But you must remember that it is natural for them to be artificial, so your assertion does not hold. —Indianapolis Press.

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ST. JOSEPH

Wounded Hobo Too Game to Squeal.

News Notes About the Bustling Lake Town

A crowd of hobos assembled in the Germania hotel last evening and a fight was the inevitable result.

In the skirmish, which according to all reports was free for all, James Kennedy, a hobo berry picker, was struck a severe blow over the left eye. When the police arrived the man was laying in a pool of blood on the floor. When asked who had hit him he pluckily replied:

"Pardner, I'm game to the core. I never squeal."

Dr. Gowdy dressed the wound and took several stitches to sew up the cut.

The injured man was taken before Justice Smith and given 10 days in the county jail.

Chief Morton is instituting a vigorous war against the hobo fraternity.

The committee on sports for the 4th of July celebration met in Hamilton's jewelry store last evening, and the following events were arranged for:

Yacht race—all Michigan sailing craft under 20 feet eligible. Prizes worth $25. Six mile course. Time limit, two hours.

Tip over race—prizes worth $15.

Canoe race—prizes worth $10.

Five mile bicycle race—prizes worth $15.

Greased pole, greased pig, ice sitting contest, pie eating and apple chewing contests, and other minor events.

Arrangements are being made for other sports, which will be announced later.

Elmer Barnes is in Coloma today.

Attorney Frank Bracelin is on a vacation this week.

Ruby Clark of Sterling, Illinois, is spending the day at the A. W. Wells residence.

Mrs. James Forbes, who was very ill in a Chicago hospital, has returned home and is improving rapidly. Her husband and daughter, who have been attending her, returned with her.

Miss Elizabeth Williams and Mrs. Jenkins of Wisconsin are guests of Miss Jennie Jones. They expect to remain two weeks.

Miss Alice Martin and Carl Boyght of Grand Rapids, who have been the guests of Miss Jennie Jones, returned to their homes yesterday.

A highly decorated wagon advertising the big Fourth of July celebration in St. Joseph left this morning for a tour of the county, in charge of Bert Ricaby, Guy Bort and Sidney Zekind. Sidney dressed as bull frog will precede the wagon and give exhibitions on his bicycle. The party will distribute 5,000 hand bills and paste 500 posters on country fences. The wagon will follow the parade in Three Oaks Dewey day and return home Friday evening.

Frank Hermon of Buchanan is visiting in town.

D. N. Bower of Buchanan is attending the dam case in the circuit court.

Ira Smith, editor of the South Haven Tribune, is registered at the Whitcomb.

Mrs. E. N. Austin and Miss L. Simson of Pokagon are guests of local friends.

Ralph and Jennie McNarry of Dowagiac arrived in town this morning for a few days' rest.

The high school class of 1901 went up the river on the steamer May Graham this morning for their annual outing.

Officer Armstrong of the Ohio state reformatory arrived this morning and took John Shriver back to his cell in the reformatory at Mansfield. It is likely Shriver will be held in prison for three years more.

M. E. Rice, manager of the company which will present "Two Merry Tramps" in Bell's opera house in August, has arrived in the city with his wife and several members of his company. They will spend their summer vacation on the St Joseph river.

Attorney James O'Hara was in Hartford yesterday appearing for the defendant in the Hones vs Smith replevin suit befope Justice Graves. It appears that Hone's pigs rooted up Smith's corn patch and that when the latter gentleman drove the pigs away Hones commenced suit for damages. The verdict was given the defendant Smith.

Deputy Sheriff Lynn Ferguson arrested Jake Weinberg last evening. Weinberg is wanted by the Chicago police for stealing $50 from a Chicago residence. He has been picking berries on the McCrone place near this city for some weeks. The Chicago officials will arrive today and escort Weinberg back to Chicago.

Auction Sale

By order of the court, of the entire stock, safe, fixtures, tools and material of the Ricaby jewelry stock, St. Joseph, Mich, without limit or reserve. Sales daily at 2 and 7:30 p. m. until stock is sold.
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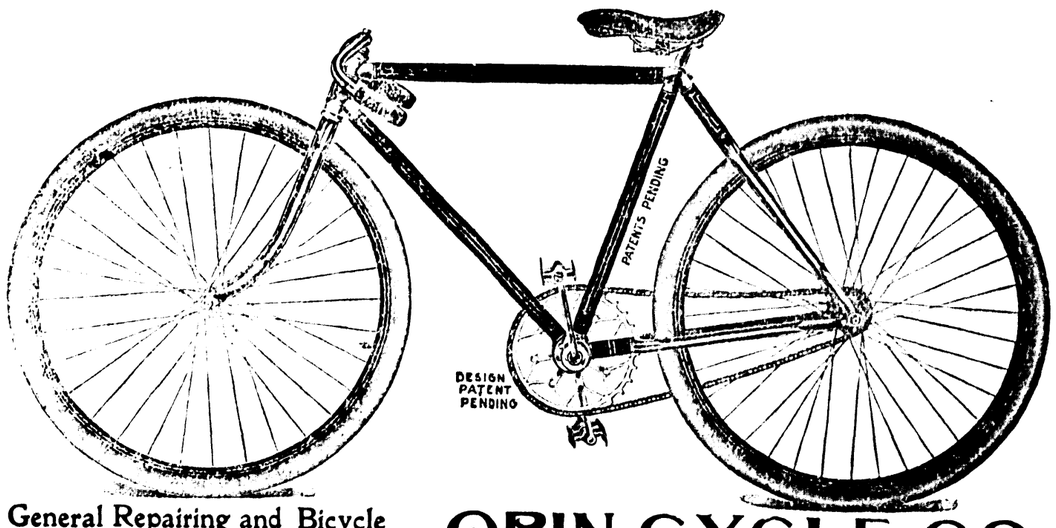

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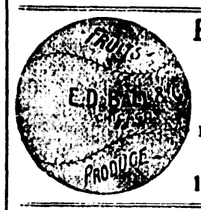

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PRESIDENT SAYS NO.

Refuses Chinese Minister's Request for Armistice.

HE WILL CONTINUE TO SEND TROOPS

Admiral Kempff Sends Word of the Occupation of Tientsin by the Combined Forces—Loss Sustained Is Small.

Chefoo, Tuesday, June 26.—Rear Admiral Kempff reports, by a Japanese torpedo boat, that the combined forces entered Tientsin on Saturday, June 25, sustaining small loss. They started on Sunday to relieve the force which left Tientsin on June 10, and which is believed to be surrounded near Peking. According to Japanese reports, Admiral Seymour has been captured, and the ministers have left Peking, guarded by Chinese soldiers. Their whereabouts is unknown.

Asks an Armistice.

Washington, June 26.—The chief development Monday in the Chinese situation was the effort of the Chinese minister, Wu Ting Fang, to secure an armistice in the operation of American troops until Li Hung Chang could reach Peking and bring about a cessation of the disorder. The proposition is rather a novel one, and is based upon the representations of the viceroys of the important provinces of the Yangtse-Kiang valley that they can maintain order without the aid of foreign troops, and that the presence of the foreigners would act merely as an incentive to disorder. Minister Wu brought these representations to the attention of Secretary Hay, who consulted the president.

President Refuses.

The latter's decision, as subsequently conveyed to the minister, was that, while the assurances of the viceroys for continued quiet was fully appreciated, the United States could not bind itself not to send its forces to points where disorder actually existed, and where the safety of our officials and citizens was endangered. Technically speaking, in the absence of a state of war, this was not a proposition of armistice, but high government officials said it amounted practically to an offer of armistice and a refusal on the part of the United States to make the arrangement.

Lieut. Gen. Miles may be sent to China, as he would outrank any army officer there. Troops will be rushed from Manila and others sent from America to take their places. The United States may have to furnish 10,000 men.

Great Battle Reported.

Chefoo, June 26.—The New York Journal correspondent cables: "A great battle has taken place. The Chinese army is reported to be victorious. Tang-Shan, Shan-Hei-Kwan and Pei-Ta-Ho have been abandoned by Europeans. The foreign quarters of these towns have been looted. The Chinese fleet is supposed to have been broken up. The admiral is in hiding or a prisoner at Tientsin, it is reported. There is very little hope for Peking. The worst fears are now entertained for Seymour. One rumor says the foreign force was seen on June 22 eight miles southeast of Peking; another says the whole force was annihilated seven miles west of Lang-Fang."

Russians Lose Heavily.

Tsing Tau, June 26.—Eight thousand allied troops have landed at Taku, including 1,200 Germans. A French officer, who has succeeded in getting through from Tientsin to Taku, says that the Russians alone have lost 150 killed and 300 wounded.

No News Since June 10.

Chefoo, June 26 (via Shanghai).—United States Consul John Fowler has received from Rear Admiral Kempff the following:

"Only one communication from Peking has reached me since communications were interrupted on June 10. It was dated June 12. No direct or indirect news from the ministers since. About 450 foreign troops, including 56 American marines, went to Peking to guard the legations. A force of 100 Americans uniting with a total force of 2,500 men of all nationalities represented here went on June 20 to open the road and to relieve Peking. This movement was by permission of the Chinese government. The last news from the expedition was dated June 12, when the expedition was at Lang Fang. The railroad has been destroyed behind it since.

"Any news that can be obtained or effort made for the relief of the legations and the lives and property of foreigners should be done at all hazard. All energies and forces here must first be directed to the relief of Tientsin, particularly as it is the key to Peking."

Brings Late News.

London, June 26.—The British cruiser Terrible has arrived at Chefoo from Taku with the latest news, which is as follows:

"Eight hundred Sikhs and 200 Welsh fusileers have effected a junction with the American, German and Russian forces which had been cut off by the Chinese about nine miles from Tientsin. It was proposed to deliver an assault upon the Chinese forces at Tientsin Sunday night."

It is not clear what forces united. It would seem that one relieving force, cut off, had been relieved by another. At any rate, it is apparently certain that the allies arrived in sufficient force at Tientsin Sunday to attack the besieging Chinese.

Fears the Worst.

A dispatch to the Daily News from Shanghai, dated Monday, says:

"Foreign official opinions here incline to the belief that the worst has happened to the legations at Peking and to Admiral Seymour as well. Even if the legations were safe on June 19, there is no guarantee that they are safe now. The situation, in fact, grows more and more gloomy. The entire absence of reliable news from the capital seems to justify the worst construction which can be put upon it. Bad news comes from Nanking, where the unrest is said to be growing hourly. Viceroy Liu Kin Yah has telegraphed the British authorities that he has ordered the five Chinese cruisers which have been lying off the harbor here to proceed to Nanking."

A Great Army.

A correspondent at Shan Hai Kwan says:

"Gen. Ma's army, consisting of 4,000 men, left a week ago for Peking, and Gen. Sung Ching's forces, numbering 2,500, left for the same place on June 15. A careful estimate of the number and armament of the Chinese troops around Peking puts the total at 360,000, and it is estimated that these troops possess 227 centimetres Creusot guns, 18 Krups and 150 Maxims. Their supply of ammunition is practically inexhaustible. It has been mainly supplied by a German firm at Carlowitz. Fully three-fourths of the Chinese forces are badly drilled, wholly undisciplined, and quite unfamiliar with modern weapons."

Will Resist Landing of Troops.

Another Shanghai dispatch says:

"Li Ping Heng, former governor of Shan Tung, who is intensely anti-foreign, has gone to the Klang Yin forts, on the Yangtse. He has declared his intention of resisting the landing of British forces in that region."

Attack Anticipated.

A Chefoo message of Monday says:

"Four cannon have been added to the forts west of here, where there are now 1,000 soldiers permanently encamped, a further force having arrived from Ning Hai Chou. There is an uneasy feeling prevailing here, and an attack is generally anticipated. Chinese merchants are closing their offices and preparing to leave the port. All business is at a standstill."

Extensive preparations by the allies are going forward. The first regiment of British India's 10,000 men, embarked at Calcutta Monday, and 833 more marines received orders to go out from English ports.

The British war office, in anticipation of a prolonged campaign is contracting for winter clothing and fur caps.

The Amur army corps, ordered out by Russia, numbers 52,100 men, with 84 guns. Japan purposes to land 15,000 men on Chinese territory within a fortnight.

President Is Not Pleased.

Washington, June 26.—The reported action of the gunboat Monocacy, in failing to respond after she had been fired upon from the Taku forts, is understood to have been received with surprise by the president, who requested an explanation of the matter, which has not yet been furnished. This was made known Monday in official quarters, to offset the published intimations that the Monocacy would not have failed to respond unless she had been ordered to hold her fire.

BAT AND BALL.

Progress of the Contests for the Baseball Leaderships—Results of Recent Games.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Brooklyn	34	17	.667
Philadelphia	32	20	.615
Boston	24	25	.490
Pittsburgh	25	27	.481
Chicago	24	27	.470
Cincinnati	22	28	.440
St. Louis	21	27	.438
New York	19	30	.388
American league:			
Chicago	35	22	.614
Indianapolis	31	21	.596
Milwaukee	30	26	.536
Cleveland	28	26	.519
Minneapolis	30	28	.517
Kansas City	28	31	.475
Detroit	21	33	.389
Buffalo	20	36	.357

National league games on Monday: At St. Louis—St. Louis, 2, 7, 2; Cincinnati, 0, 2, 2. At Boston—Boston, 20, 19, 0; Philadelphia, 4, 8, 4. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 15, 23, 0; New York, 2, 10, 3.

American league: At Chicago—Chicago, 4, 7, 2; Minneapolis, 3, 8, 2. At Detroit—Detroit, 8, 13, 4; Indianapolis, 7, 5, 3. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 7, 10, 3; Buffalo, 3, 11, 3. At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 17, 20, 2; Kansas City, 4, 10, 3.

Interstate league: At Youngstown—Youngstown, 3, 9, 2; Dayton, 2, 6, 2. At Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne, 4, 10, 11; Wheeling, 2, 11, 5. At Toledo—Toledo, 17, 16, 5; Newcastle, 6, 10, 6.

THE BOER WAR.

Roberts' Forces Closing In on the South Africans—Consul Hay to Visit Kruger.

London, June 26.—Lord Roberts' six columns are converging apparently so as to close in upon the Free Staters, although decisive results cannot be expected for several days. A number of Boers who were supposed to be within the wide-flung net have broken, or rather stolen, through Gen. Rundle's Ficksburg-Senekal lines.

The Canadians were engaged in the Honingspruit fight last Friday. Gen. De Wet's men first cut off a Canadian outpost of mounted rifles at dawn, two being killed. Lieut. Triglis and four others were wounded, and three were captured. The Free Staters then attacked the camp where were 50 Canadians and two companies of Shropshires, though without much effect, as the men were well entrenched.

The foreign military attaches who were with Lord Roberts are now in Cape Town, en route for Europe. United States Consul Hay, of Pretoria, is going to Machadodorp in the interest of the British prisoners and to see President Kruger.

Very Low Water.

Dubuque, Ia., June 26.—The present stage of water in the Mississippi is the lowest known for June during the past 25 years. The stage Monday was one foot six inches above low-water mark, and still falling. Should the decline continue navigation will be suspended on the Mississippi within a few weeks.

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Effective June 17, 1900.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Grand Rapids lv.	7:10	12.05	4:30	11:55	4:00
Benton Harbor	10:20	2:10	7:47	3:30	6:10
St. Joseph	10:30	2:18	7:55	3:45	6:20
Chicago, ar	1:30	5:00	10:50	7:05	9:00
	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.

GOING NORTH.

Stations.	a.m.	noon	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Chicago lv	6:45	12:00	4:50	11:50	7:30
				a.m	
St. Joseph	10:10	2:42	7:40	2:50	10:10
Benton Harbor	10:20	2:50	7:47	3:00	10:18
Grand Rapids, ar	1:25	5:00	10.40	6:20	12:30
Traverse City ar	6:10	10:45		1:15	4:55
Charlevoix ar	8:30			3:40	6:45
Petoskey ar	9:00			4:00	7:25
Bay View	9:10			4:20	7:35
	p.m.	p.m.	p.m	p.m.	a

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:10 a. m., 12:05 p. m. and 5:30 p. m.
For Saginaw at 7:00 a. m. and 5:20 p. m.
Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

H. F. MOEHLER, Acting G. P. A., Grand Rapids.
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TIME TABLE.
Effective Sunday, June 3, 1900

GOING SOUTH

STATIONS	1	3	5	7	9	15
	a m	p m	p.m	a.m	p.m	p.m
Benton Harbor....Lv	7 00	4 00	7 00	8 00	7 30	1 00
Bankers	....	....	....	....	....	....
Napier*	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nickerson*	....	....	....	....	....	....
Somerleyton	7 19	4 09	7 09	8 09	7 39	1 15
Scotdale*	7 11	4 12	7 11	8 11	7 41	1 19
Royalton*	7 14	4 16	7 14	8 14	7 44	1 25
Hinchman*	7 21	4 25	7 21	8 21	7 51	1 45
Stemms*	7 24	4 29	7 24	8 24	7 54	1 55
Berrien Springs	7 33	4 42	7 33	8 33	8 03	2 00
Lighton*	7 42	4 50	7 42	8 42	8 12	....
Gravel Pit*	....	....	....	....	....	....
Baintons	....	....	....	....	....	....
Buchanan	8 00	5 10	8 00	9 00	8 30	2 50

GOING NORTH

STATIONS	2	4	6	8	16
	a.m.	p.m	p.m	a.m	p.m
Bent'n H'br...Ar	11 10	6 35	10 00	10 30	7 00
Bankers	....	....	....	....	....
Napier	....	....	....	....	6 54
Nickerson	....	....	....	....	6 52
Somerleyton	11 01	6 26	9 51	10 21	....
Scotdale	10 58	6 24	9 49	10 19	6 47
Royalton	10 54	6 20	9 46	10 16	6 41
Hinchman	10 45	6 13	9 39	10 09	6 23
Stemms	10 41	6 09	9 36	10 06	6 00
Berrien Spgs	10 30	6 00	9 27	9 57	5 40
Lighton	10 20	5 52	9 18	9 48	5 28
Gravel Pit	....	....	....	....	5 22
Baintons	....	....	....	....	....
Buchanan...Lv	10 10	5 35	9 00	9 30	5 10

☞ Nos. 15 and 16 are freights. Nos. 9, 7 and 8, Sunday only. No 5, Sat. only. Nos. 3 and 4 daily. Nos. 1 and 2 daily except Sunday. No 6 Sat. and Sun. only. Trains 15 and 16 will carry passengers. No. 3 makes connection at Buchanan with Mich. Cent. for Kalamazoo, Detroit and all points east. No. 6 reaches B. H. in time to catch 10:30 p.m. boat at St. Joseph for Chicago, Sunday nights.
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In effect May 26, 1900.

Trains leave South Bend for the South:
No. 21, Ex. Sun., 5:30 a. m. for Terre Haute.
No. 3, Ex. Sun. 12:01 p. m. for Terre Haute.
No. 11, Sun. only, 5:50 p. m. for Logansport.
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Time table in effect June 24, 1900

South Bound No.53	No.7	No.5	Stations	North Bound No.8	No 6	No.54
a.m.	p.m.	a.m.		p.m.	a m.	p.m.
6 35	7 00	10 35	St. Joseph	4 50	9 20	6 15
6 50	7 09	10 44	Vineland	4 42	9 11	5 45
7 05	7 16	10 50	Derby	4 35	905	5 25
7 30	7 26	10 57	Boroda	4 25	8 57	4 55
7 50	7 36	11 05	Glondora	4 16	8 49	4 16
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We would respectfully invite all interested to call and examine and see for themselves the benefits we are receiving daily. Full particulars gladly given at The Evening News office.

Why the Census Man Doesn't Care to Call on Her Again.

Divvie a Man Did Miss O'Grady Ever Hear Ask Sich Questions But the Doctor—Wondered What Was Coming Next.

One of the census enumerators appointed to count the people of East Orange, N. J., is above all things an amiable man. He strives to please and is pained when others suffer. He felt that a heavy trial was about to be laid upon him, says the New York Sun, when he confronted a robust, mature person who had kindly consented to act temporarily as maid of all work for a family in Mulford street.

"Mary," said the mistress of the house, who was sitting on the front porch, "this is the census man. He wants to ask you a few questions."

Mary placed her hands firmly on her hips, gave her fiery tresses a menacing toss and fixed the census man with a look of defiance. She responded with reasonable promptness to the questions as to her name and birthplace and the names and birthplaces of her parents. Then the census man knew it was time to brace himself. He grasped the piazza rail firmly as he asked:

"How old are you?"

All the wrath that lay so close to the surface blazed forth instantly.

"Sure, 'n I'd like to know what business that is o' yours. How old am I? Th' impidince! Fer two pins I'd—"

"Mary! Mary!" interposed the woman of the house. "You don't understand. This man is taking the census. You must answer him or you may be sent to jail. Now tell him how old you are."

"Oh, well, if ye must know ye kin put me down fer 23."

The census man, who is a good Methodist, breathed a prayer for the ungodly and set down the lie that was to endure as long as the census should stand.

"Married or single?"

There were further signs of agitation among the unruly auburn locks,

"HOW OLD AM I?"

but the goaded spinster managed to restrain her inclination to do personal violence as she snapped out:

"Single, of course. I'd like to see the man that could make me anything else."

"So should I," responded the census man, eager to fall in with her views. "Are you a maiden or—"

"Am I a maiden?" she screamed. "Am I a maiden? Look here, young man, I'll stand no more of this."

She was advancing upon him with full intent to avenge her heaped-up wrongs, but he eluded her and pleaded for an opportunity to explain.

"Don't mistake my meaning. Don't think I intended anything wrong," he gasped, imploringly. "I wouldn't insult a lady, indeed I wouldn't. I was just going to ask were you a maiden or a widow."

"Well, why didn't ye say so, then?" said the woman, now somewhat appeased. "I sh'd think ye could judge fer yerself. Of course, I'm not a widow."

"Now, as to your employment; are you generally busy?"

"Busy? Well, I guess if ye'll come in 'most any time o' day ye'll find me so."

The census man, deeming it best not to elucidate his meaning, shut up his book and made his escape. Mary O'Grady gazed at him intently till he disappeared in the next house. Then turning with a snort, she started for her pots and pans.

"Th' nerve of th' divvie!" she exclaimed. "I never heard anyone but a doctor ask sich questions. It's a wonder he didn't want to take me pulse and temperature."

One of Lightning's Pranks.

Lightning performed a strange feat near Osceola, Pa., during the recent thunderstorm, says the Oil City Derrick. Three fine cows, belonging to a farmer, had been turned out to pasture in a field on which the new grass is already quite high, and when the shower came on they gathered in one corner under some trees. There is a wire fence running close by the spot where they were standing, and a bolt of lightning was attracted to it and ran along the slender wires until the cows were reached, when it glanced off, striking the animals and killing all three instantly.

Studied While a Soldier.

Congressman John M. Allen, of Mississippi, was a mere boy when he went into the confederate army, but he did not allow the war to interrupt his studies completely. He carried with him wherever he went a small Latin dictionary, and used all his spare time in practicing Latin prose composition. The result was that after the war was over he had no trouble in entering Cumberland university, from which institution he was graduated.

Woman's Trials

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MISS HAVEN'S MANIA.

She Is Sane Only When on a Bicycle and a Good Subject for Hypnotic Suggestion.

A case that is attracting much attention among psychologists and specialists in neurotics is that of Miss Ellen Haven, who came to St. Paul, Minn., a short time ago from Lucky Valley, Ia., to be treated for what was considered a mild form of insanity. The condition of the patient appears to have been merely aggravated by the change, and she is to be sent to New York for treatment.

Miss Haven has all her life been of an athletic tendency, and for the last 15 years she has lived on the farm of Paul

OVER HILL AND DALE.

Haven, her brother, in Iowa. Early in March one of the brother's children was caught by the arm in a corn-sheller, which resulted in terrible wounds. While one of the elder Haven boys went after the local doctor on a horse, Miss Haven jumped on her bicycle and rode to Sioux City, a distance of 20 miles, to obtain the services of a first-class surgeon. She covered the distance, over hill and dale, in something under an hour, fainting upon her arrival at the doctor's office. When revived Miss Haven appeared to be out of her mind, and since that time she has been non compos mentis, except when riding her bicycle.

When about the house, says the Chicago Inter Ocean, Miss Haven converses with no one, apparently takes interest in nothing and is exceedingly melancholy. She responds to an invitation to ride a wheel with great alacrity. As soon as the wheels turn under her she sighs deeply, the lines fade out of her face and she becomes animated in conversation, apparently forgetting all about her previous abstraction.

The best known specialists in nervous diseases assert that the disease from which Miss Haven is suffering is an aggravated form of neurasthenia, brought on by the nervous exhaustion of her terrific ride after the doctor and the death of her nephew, despite her efforts to save him.

They declare that the case is one for hypnotic suggestion, and have urged that the unfortunate young woman be permitted to ride a wheel as often as she will, arguing that, as she is sane while in the saddle and insane while out of it, the logical thing to do is to adopt the means at hand of making her lucid periods longer than the periods of aberration. By this means they believe the disease will dissipate itself in the course of time.

Poor But Honest.

Clerk—Please, sir, may I have my next month's salary in advance?

Employer—That would be very unbusinesslike. How do I know that you will not die to-night?

Clerk (in proud scorn)—Sir, I may be in need, but I am too much of a gentleman to do anything like that.—Collier's Weekly.

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Dress Up as Children and Romp in Evanston's Streets.

How the Freshmen at Northwestern University Enjoyed Themselves and Disgusted the More Staid and Dignified Citizens.

Northwestern university freshmen took possession of the streets of Evanston, Ill., the other afternoon after the class day programme had been given on the campus. One hundred men and women clad in youthful attire and gay with cardinal and maize wandered about the streets with the abandon of children and indulged in children's games. The women skipped rope and the men played leap-frog, and every delivery wagon that came near was quickly filled with a laughing crowd of young people. The young women wore bonnets, sashes and aprons, which gave them the appearance of being less than 15 years old. The men were fitted out in knee breeches, large cardinal sashes, sailor collars and three-cornered straw hats of a large size, and decorated with cardinal rosettes. After the exercises the freshmen played tag and drop the handkerchief on the campus, but the kissing penalties were omitted.

The antics of the students caused much comment among the business men of the town. Some of them expressed opinions on the actions in forcible terms, claiming that it was a disgrace to the university for women to get out in the streets and parade about and ride in passing wagons.

The presentation of gifts was the feature of the outdoor exercises in the afternoon. Charles H. Woolbert made the presentation speeches, and every man and woman in the senior class had to come forward to receive a present, while Mr. Woolbert indulged in sarcasms at their expense.

CHECK ON VANDERBILT.

William K., Jr., Summoned to Newport, R. I., Police Station for Speeding His Automobile.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., called at the police station at Newport the other morning in compliance with a notification from Chief of Police Kaull, and was told by the chief that several complaints had been lodged at the station in regard to the fast driving with his French automobile. The chief said he desired to make it clear to him just what the law was on this particular subject. The law, said the chief, provides that no vehicles shall be driven on highways at a rate of speed greater than a common traveling pace. The generally accepted interpretation of this law was that ten or twelve miles per hour was good enough going to suit the average man.

Mr. Vanderbilt listened attentively, and then said that since he had arrived in Newport with his machine there was not a single occasion on which he had exceeded within the city limits the speed named by the chief.

The chief informed Mr Vanderbilt that he would be compelled to enforce the law, and if, as alleged by the complainants, he persisted in traveling at high rates of speed he would be arrested. The penalty is not less than $5 nor more than $20 for each offense, no term of imprisonment being mentioned.

"Of course," said the chief, "a man of your wealth can afford to violate the law every day, and each morning pay the penalty imposed.

"That may be true," replied Mr. Vanderbilt, "but I have no desire to violate the law, but rather am anxious to comply with its provisions. I cannot nor do I blame the police department for the course it has taken in the matter. I know what the difficulty is and who has inspired it."

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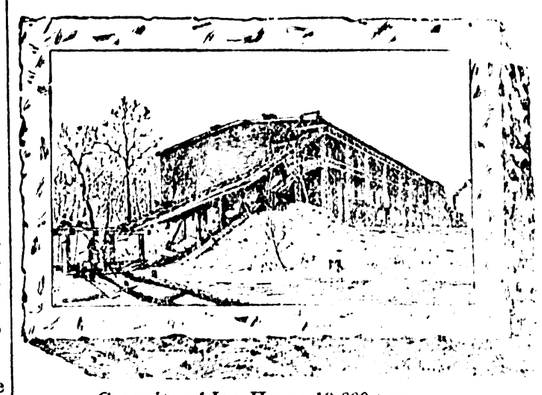

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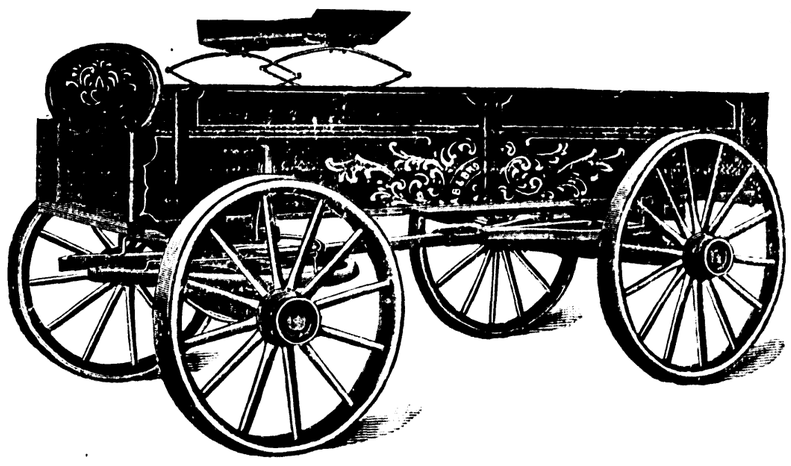

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Charley Gore returned from Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. F. G. Warren returned last evening from Charlevoix.

F. Goodal of Lake Geneva is the guest of William R. McDonald.

Miss May Godfrey is home from Evanston, for her summer vacation.

Mrs. Livesay has returned home after spending the winter in Adrian.

Miss Carrie Rowe returned today from a two weeks visit at Portland, Mich.

L. F. Kingsley whose foot was operated on a week ago, is improving nicely.

Mrs. W. H. Moon of Lowell, Michigan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Harvey.

Miss Blanche Lockwood of Coloma is in the city attending summer school at the college.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pattison of Albion are visiting Mr. Pattison's daughter, Mrs. George S. Avery.

The Misses Taylor of Marcellus are in the city to attend the wedding of Miss Flora Radcliffe.

Mrs. Rich and family of Chicago arrived last night to spend the summer months here with Mr. Morley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baley and daughter Belle of Kenosha, Wis., arrived in the city yesterday to spend two weeks visiting their many friends and relatives.

C. C. Marder of the American type founder's company, Chicago, was in the city today and together with A. T. Patterson of this city, the representative of the company, left for Grand Rapids on business.

E. K. Pulsifer who has been a resident of Benton Harbor for about thirty years has recently been a patient in the hospital at Ann Arbor, suffering with dropsy so much that it was thought at one time he would not recover. He is now convalescing at Cleveland, Ohio and will return before many weeks to Benton Harbor.

The last meeting of the Sigma Kappa club for the year was held with Miss Harriet Gano last evening. Plans for the next year's work were discussed. Dainty refreshments were served, after which the club adjourned.

Miss Flora McDonald will give a 5 o'clock luncheon this afternoon in honor of the Rackliffe-Harmon bridal party.

Frank Morrill and Miss Beatrice Jones were married yesterday at the home of the bride at Klingers, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Morrill arrived in this city last evening, and after spending a week with friends here will go to Lansing, where Mr. Morrill has a fine position.

being the 18th anniversary of the young man's birth. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. A general good time was enjoyed.

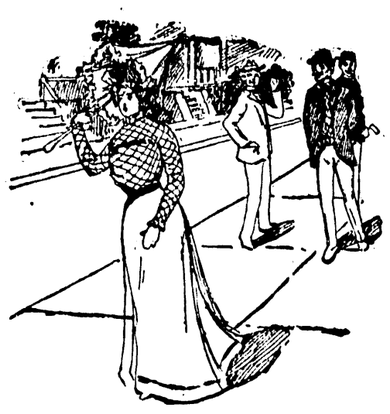
Dr. H. V. Tutton was called in consultation to Berrien Springs this afternoon. He will return at 7 o'clock.

HER UMBRELLA'S VICTIM.

Obstinate Sunshade Destroys All the "Physically Cultured" Bearing of a Proud Maiden.

Umbrellas get people into strange predicaments now and then. In proof of which this story shows how accidents in the best regulated families will produce a decided feeling of discomposure.

A well regulated looking young woman of the haughty beauty type, says a Philadelphia paper, walked



UMBRELLA CAUGHT HER HAT.

down street yesterday, head well in the air, shoulders squared, chin drawn in, obeying the behests of her physical culture teacher to the letter, in fact.

Her costume was pretty and appropriate to the warm day, and an air of well-being pervaded her entire personality until she had gotten exactly opposite a group of men who were lazily interested in her.

As was natural, her air of haughtiness and her "physically cultured" bearing were intensified the moment she became aware of the observers, and therefore it was a great pity that the light umbrella she carried should have taken this inopportune moment to shut up, catch her hat in its fold, turn it awry, disarrange her hair and generally rob her of her peace of mind.

When the young woman had extricated herself, folded her tent—that is, her umbrella—and gone on her way—but not rejoicing, she seemed to have shrunk in size and the well-regulated look was quite gone. So much are we the creatures of circumstances.

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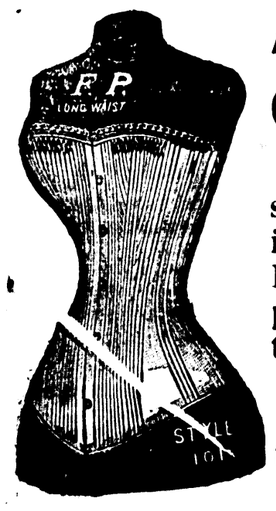

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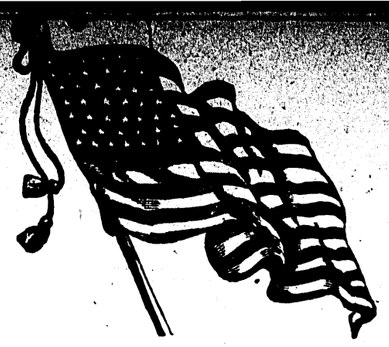

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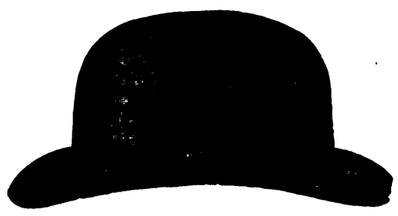

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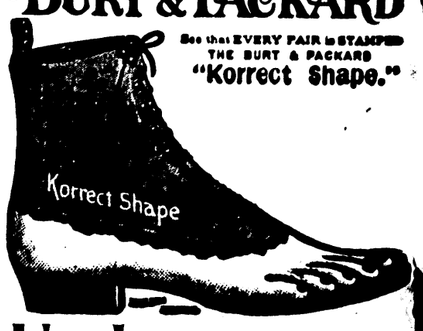

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